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HONGKONG, FRIDAY, 11TH AUGUST, 1871.

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[PRICE \$24 PER MONTH.]

**Arrivals.**

Aug. 10. EMILIE ERNESTINE, French brig, 226, Lancol, Saigon July 27th, and Cape St. James 29th; General—F. DEGENE.

Aug. 10. JANE JERSEY, Brit. br., 341, Le Bas, Sydney May 28th, 500 tons Coal—ORDER.

Aug. 10. NORTH GER. brig, 198, Zebethen, Whampas 8th August, General—EN. SCHELLHAAS & C.

Aug. 10. GLENSANNOX, Brit. str., 1,500, G. Dickie, Swatow 9th, General—OYAPHANT & CO.

Aug. 10. L'AROUX, French br., 252, Ertaud, Saigon 1st August, Rio—F. DEGENE.

Aug. 10. INDIAN, Brit. br., 366, Mauldon, Saigon 3rd August, Rio—ORDER.

**Departures.**

Aug. 10. JUNO, for Saigon.

Aug. 10. KONA, sir, for Canton.

Aug. 10. CONQUEST, for Chefoo.

**Carravans.**

AT THE HAMBOUR MARTIN'S OFFICE, 10TH AUGUST.

Gleam, for Taikoo.  
Grenadier, for Saigon.  
Juno, for Saigon.  
Marie, for Tientsin.  
Contes, for Chefoo.  
Spartan, for Whampas.

**Passengers.**

Per Jane Jersey, from Sydney.—Mr. Davis.  
Per Emilie Ernestine, from Saigon, &c., 20 Chinese.  
Per Glensanox, str., from Swatow, 21 Chinese.  
Per Indias, from Saigon.—C. Jones.  
Per Calico, from Callao, 1 European Doctor and 1 European Interpreter.

**Reports.**

The French bark *L'Amour* reports first and second days out E.N.E. and strong breeze, then S.W. up to Hongkong.

The British steamer *Glenanox* left Swatow at 6 p.m. on the 9th, reports strong W.S.W. winds and heavy swell to Pedro Blanca; was on her way in which has put her out, being bound to Amoy; passed the air route, being bound to Hongkong; 7th instant.

The French brig *Emilia Ernestine* reports first part passage fine weather, S.W. winds veering round to N.W. and light air; latter part equally from the N.E. and moderate wind S.W.; arrived at Amoy 25th July, 1871. By order of the Court of Directors.

JAMES GREGG,  
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203 1862 Hongkong, 25th July, 1871.

**HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.**

**NOTIFICATION** is hereby given that the REGISTERS OF SHARES of the CORPORATION will be CLOSED from the 1st to the 14th day of August, pro tanto (both days included), during which period no transfer of Shares can be registered.

By order of the Court of Directors.

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**HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.**

**NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS**

**NOTIFICATION** is hereby given that the Ordinary Half-yearly MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this CORPORATION will be held at the CITY-HALL, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the 11th day of August, pro tanto (both days included), at three o'clock P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and of settling the statement of Accounts to 30th June, 1871.

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Interest



Thousands of the finest estates in Virginia are said to be for sale.

The Duke of Edinburgh distributed the prizes on board the Worcester, training ship, off Southend.

The *Colony Gazette* says the report about the German demands for Heligoland are a British fantasy. The idea is not entertained by the German Government.

#### COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

AUGUST 10TH EVENING.

There has been a quiet and weak cooling in the drug market for Bengal. Sales of Patna have been made at \$645 to \$650. Bazaar, \$625 to \$630, on cash and credit terms; bargain shop scripts for Patna have changed hands upon a valuation of \$623 to \$632, with \$10 and \$30 in-cash carried away. In Malwa, business has been done to the extent of 1000 chits at \$645 to \$650 on credit, few of them of ready first-class drugs are held for \$650.

ATROUS 11TH MORNING.

No change at present.

#### EXCHANGE.

ON LONDON.—

Bank Bills, at 3 months' sight, —

Credit, at 6 months' sight, 4/4

Documentary Bills, at 6 months' sight, —

Bank Bills on demand, —

Private, 5 months' sight, —

On BOSTON.—Bank 3 days' sight, 2/23

On CALCUTTA.—Bank 3 days' sight, 2/23

On SHANGHAI.—

Bank 3 days' sight, —

Bank 15 days' sight, —

Private, 30 days' sight, —

HONGKONG.—Bank Shares, Old, 49 per cent. premium, —

Hongkong Bank Shares, New—46 per cent. premium, —

Union Insurance Society of Canton, new shares \$1,350 per share premium, —

China Traders' Insurance Company's Shares—\$2,250 per share premium, —

China and Japan Marine Insurance—The 80 Chinese Insurance Company—\$75 per share premium, —

Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares—\$335 per share premium, —

China Fire Insurance Company's Shares—\$63 per share premium, —

Victoria Fire Insurance Company's Shares—\$58 per share premium, —

Hongkong Navigation and Trading Company's Shares—22 per cent. premium, —

Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamship Co.'s Shares—32 per cent. premium, —

Shanghai Steam Navigation Company—The 50 per share premium, —

China Sea, Saigon, and Straits Steamship Company—5 per cent. discount, —

China and Straits Steam Navigation Company—20 per cent. discount, —

Hongkong Gas Company's Shares—\$60 per share, —

Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares—68 per cent. discount, —

Hongkong Distillery Company—10 per cent. premium, —

Indo-Chinese Sugar Company—\$16 per share discount, —

SALES ON AUGUST 10TH, 1871.

As per Circular.

Saigon Rice, 150 piculs, at \$2.10, by Chuan-chung-wing to Hongkong merchant, —

Saigon Rice, 100 piculs, at \$1.88, by Chuan-chung-wing to Hongkong, —

White Birdfeathers, 25 catties, at \$1,600.00, by Sze-hopen to Shanghai merchant, —

Yellow Beans, 50 piculs, at \$2.50, by Sze-hopen to Hongkong merchant, —

Green Peas, 100 piculs, at \$2.25, by Sze-hopen to Hongkong merchant, —

White Saffron, 150 piculs, at \$1.15, by Sze-hopen to Hongkong merchant, —

Bontay Cotton, 75 bales, at \$17.75, by Parsee merchant to Kin-hing-chung, —

Large Dried Mussels, 50 piculs, at \$7.50, by Fook-wing-loong, Kowloon merchant, —

Large Dried Mussels, 30 piculs, at \$7.00, by Fook-wing-loong, travelling merchant, —

China Root, 100 piculs, at \$2.70, by Fook-wing-loong to Singapore merchant, —

TAK ASIMA, GOLIERY, NAGASAKI.

THE Undersigned are prepared to supply Coal from the Takama Colliery (8 foot seam), in quantities as required, to be delivered on board ship in this Harbor.

Note.—The Specific Gravity of Takama Coal is 1.245, it contains 32.07 per cent. of Carbon, and is admitted to be fully equal to the best English North Country Coal for steaming and all other purposes.

GLOVER & CO., Agents in Hongkong, NOVTON, LYALL & CO., t/ 1951 Nagasaki, Japan, October, 1870.

#### NOTICE.

IN THE ESTATE OF D. ILLINGWORTH, Deced.

All Persons having Claims against the Estate of the late DAD ILLINGWORTH, deceased, are requested to set forth in the amount, and particulars thereof to the Undersigned, without delay.

D. ILLINGWORTH, Administrator, 2w 1332 Hongkong, 3rd August, 1871.

J. M. G. U. D. E. S. J. R., AUCTIONEER, QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG, (July 23)

THE Undersigned have been appointed Sole Agents for the Sale of their Goods in Hongkong and China by Messrs. J. & R. T. Tenent, Glasgow, and Messrs. David Corson & Sons, Arbroath.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & CO., t/ 410 Hongkong, January, 1867.

#### DENT'S T.R.Y.

BY D. G. O. L. S. D. D. S., No. 7, Atherton Road, HONGKONG, t/ 1219 Hongkong, 17th July, 1871.

O. R. I. E. N. T. A. L. H. O. T. E. L. BILLIARD ROOMS AND BOWLING ALLEYS.

Proprietor—J. BAINES.

THE above Hotel is now open for the reception of Visitors to this Port, and every comfort will be ensured to Patrons visiting this establishment. A table d'hôte, at the undermentioned hours, where the winds permit, will leave Patron nothing to desire. —

Breakfast, from 9 to 11 A.M.

luncheon, 1 P.M.—3 P.M.

Dinner, 7 P.M.—9 P.M.

Refreshments can be obtained at all hours.

Wines and Spirits of the best quality only.

French, Spanish, Italian, and German Spoken by 1200 Hongkong, 14th July, 1871.

#### SAFETY MAKING.

WILLIAM DOLAN, having returned to Hongkong, has resumed his business at his old place in Dundee Street, and solicits the patronage of the public.

He has on hand a fine assortment of Sand 10 ounce RAVINS DUCK, suitable for Boat Sails or Awnings.

t/ 585 Hongkong, 30th April, 1869.

"Japan Mail" and "Japan Weekly Mail."

L. CRAWFORD & CO. having been appointed agents for the two above-named newspapers, are prepared to receive Advertisements and Subscriptions for the same.

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